GERMAN PRESS LAUDS KAISER'S PROCLAMATION

Says Nation Shares Firm Resolution to Win Lasting Peace.

ACCLAIMS FAILURE OF STARVING PLAN

Journals of France and Italy Hold "World Will Not Believe Emperor's Oaths."

Berlin, Aug. 2 (by wireless to Sayeille, Long Island) .- In a statement given out to-day, the Overseas News

The entire German press has apoved with enthusiasm the proclamaion given out by Emperor William on the anniversary of the outbreak of the war. It unites in pointing out that every word in this statement breathes his accustomed high-minded serious-

that the entire German nation is animated by a firm resolution to secure a lasting peace, thus opening, the road for an unparalleled national development, is shared by all the people. Yesterday the people went to church and thanked the Almighty for the blessings of the past year and prayed for a secure of the past year and prayed for a secure of the fearful struggle.

The Lusitania, described as a marching song, by Rudolf Kuhn. The verses tell the following tale:

"She sailed for England from New York, with contraband. She invited a thousand to travel on board, but our thousand to travel on board, but our submarine smelled a choice dish. The Lusitania sailed merrily along the criminal's course, but our submarine smelled a choice dish. The Lusitania sailed merrily along the criminal's course, but our submarine of the fearful struggle.

Paris Journals Scoff at Kaiser's Assertions

GERMAN EMPRESS CHEERS GERMANS GUILTY

ties for Welcome on Visit.

Berlin, Aug 2 (via wireless to Sayville, Long Island).—The German Empress, after travelling through East
Prussia with the Crown Princess, has
left Koenigsberg for Berlin.

Her majesty wrote a letter to the
civil authorities of Koenigsberg, in
which, according to the Overseas
News Agency, she thanked the population for the hearty reception accorded her, in spite of the misery
caused by the two Russian invasions
of last year.

In the midst of the debris of devas "In the midst of the debris of devas-tated churches and houses," the Em-press is quoted as writing, "I could observe the diligence, the industry and the energy of the sturdy Prussians, who at once set to work to rebuild or repair their homes. Such efforts must gain a well merited reward. The fact that the workers are returning to their homes carries the conviction that the East Prussians are not disheartened, but are firmly resolved to begin anew."

GERMANS MAKE SONG OF LUSITANIA FATE

Music Hall Patrons Treated to Musical Story of the Liner's Destruction.

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arried Americans, Englishmen, French-ner Greeks and Dutchmen to a dance of death. The submarine hit true. Those who were not suffocated were trowned. Vanderbilt was among them. a pity that Minister Grey was not

mermaids at being disturbed by so from German prisoners belonging to many explosions and by vile gases the 112th and 142d regiments. The remitted by American ammunition, the port contains also evidence of the mas-

"So there the dead lay, most of them th their paws burnt, England's sons and their companions. Oh, how quiet they have become! So join now in a funeral song. Build submarines as funeral song. Build submarines as fast as possible and sink the enemy into a cool grave, so that Germany may Each verse has a rousing chorus.

JAPAN ALLIANCE CHEERED IN DOUMA

the whole civilized Portsmouth proved that peaceful neighter replied that he is borliness between Russia and Japan the His troops have was perfectly possible and reciprocally and the statement of all in the statement of the stat on years for war runners of a still closer alliance.

This statement was cheered by members of the Doumn.



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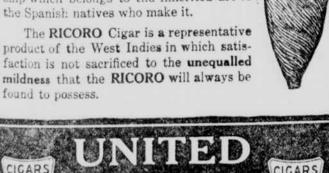
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OF ATROCITIES, Thanks Koenisberg Authori-FRENCH INSIST

Report to Premier Viviani Charges Soldiers Acted Under Orders.

CAPTORS BUTCHERED THEIR PRISONERS

Ambulances Not Immune from Fire-Surgeons Arrested and Split Bullets Used.

Paris, Aug. 2.- The commission presided over by Georges Payelle, President of the French Court of Accounts, has presented to Premier Viviani the final report of its investigations into acts on the part of German soldiers in violation of the rights of man.

This report contains 12,000 words and gives in detail the evidence gathered concerning the use by German troops of military and civilian prisoners as shields against the fire of French troops, as well as of the employment versed in order to cause more serious GERMAN FORCES

of the 58th German Brigade, ordering his soldiers to kill the wounded enemy from German prisoners belonging to sacre of French soldiers as a result of this order, as well as the massacre of wounded men after the battle of Fethe

individual soldiers who declare they saw their wounded comrades put to death by a rifle shot, a revolver shot, the thrust of a bayonet, or a blow from the butt of a musket by German sol-London, Aug. 2. The final section of the speech made by Foreign Minister Sazonoff at the opening of the Russian Douma vesterday was received in London to night.

Referring to relations between Russian and Japan, the Minister said the press of both countries had been discovered by the statement of the inhumanity of the relations of the inhumanity of the allegations of the inhumanity of the allegations of the inhumanity of the statement of the inhumanity of the allegations of the inhumanity of the statement of the inhumanity of the statement of the inhumanity of the statement of the speech which was a statement of the reference withersees testined that they themselves had been objects of such aggressive attacks after having been wounded, and that they shad been objects of such aggressive attacks after having been wounded, and that they had survived.

Rusdith wired.

War Prisoners Abused.

The report devotes considerable space to allegations of the inhumanity of the many which, it says, is proved by the evidence of the victims. Many prisoners of war have been shot, while others have hear their skulls crushed by blows from the butt of a musket. At St. Die thirty this manner by Bavarian troops. The truth of this is vouched for by its who actually will essed the executions.

Other men who appeared before the commission declared that they had found the dead bodies of a French patron numbering seven men, an infantry corporal and six privates, with their hands tied behind their backs and dead from rifle shots. This incident was before a justion.

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patrol numbers of the property corporal and six privates, with their hands tied behind their backs and dead from rifle shots. This incident was further supported by evidence taken before a justice of the peace.

The report ends with three columns of evidence to prove the bombarding of ambulances by the Germans, the firing upon stretcher-bearers, and the taking prisoner of surgeons. In some cases, it is set forth, French surgeons were arrested by German surgeons, and by them sent to the rear to be interned.

Several cases are cited in which German wounded, aided by Frenchmen, are alleged to have taken the opportunity

3,034,202 CAPTIVES TAKEN BY TEUTONS

Berlin, Aug. 2 (by wireless to Sayville, Long Island) .- The German War Ministry furnishes the following figures showing the successes of the central powers in the first year of the war, says the Overseas News Agency:

"Germany and Austria-Hungary occupy 29,000 square kilometres in Belgium, 21,000 in France, 130,000 in Russia and 10,000 in French Alsace.

"Prisoners of war taken in Galicia now in German camps and hospitals, or employed as workers total, 938,869; men captured last week and on way to camp, 120,000; prisoners in Austria-Hungary, 636,543; grand total, 1,695,412.

"Prisoners taken in Russia and now in Germany, 5,600 officers and 720,000 non-commissioned officers and privates; in Austria, 3,190 officers and 610,000 non-commissioned officers and privates; total, 8,790 officers and 1,330,000 men.

"German collecting stations received up to the middle of June 5,843 captured field guns and 1,556 machine guns. Many field pieces were kept for use by the troops. It is estimated that nearly 8,000 guns and 3,000 machine guns have been captured.'

TOTAL 10,000,000

British Court Holds Extent of Military Service Warrants Meat Seizures.

London, Aug. 2 .- At to-day's session London, Aug. 2.—At to-day's session of the meat cargo cases before a British prize court, Sir Frederick E. Smith, the Solicitor General, produced an affidavit made by Major Eric Dillon, a member of the General Staff, estimating the persons serving in the German army and under the control of German army and under the control of German army and under the control of German army and private at 10,000,000. nilitary authority at 10,000,000.

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The statement was produced in support of the Crown's contention that persons employed in some of the ordinarily civilian occupations are now in the service of the German government, and that, therefore, the foodstuffs seized by the British government really were intended for Germany's military forces. Major Dillon's figures follow:

Under arms on twe fronts, in garrisons in Belgium and on lines of communications, 4,000,000.

In training in Germany, 750,000.

Minister Held at Bellevue.

A man who said he was the Rev. Stephen Budden, of 115 East 128th Street, a regularly ordained Episcopal minister, was committed to Bellevue yesterday for observation. He was arrested for soliciting alms in a small safe bearing the name of All Souls' Chapel, Richmond Hill. He waid his wife had his ordination papers. He was held in \$1,000. His wife failed to appear.

ADMIRAL CALLS REBELS TO AID **HAYTIAN PEACE**

Sends Commission to Bring Fighting Chiefs to Port-au-Prince.

EXPECTED TO USE FORCE IF NEEDED

Mob, Seeking Murderer of Prisoner in Jail, Attacks Mission.

[From The Tribune Bureau.] Washington, Aug. 2.-Rear Admiral Caperton sent a peace commission from Port-au-Prince to Cape Haitien to-day in an effort to get the co-operation of the revolutionary generals Blot and Bobo in the pacification of Hayti. His message to the Navy Department con tained the information that he sent the

"My instructions to the commission," he added, "are to require army in north to disarm and disband, soldiers to return to their homes, leaders Blot and Bobo to return to Port-au-Prince with the commission and join conference to Claims Scoffed at in Statepromote order in Hayti."

Officials believe this indicates that the rear admiral has the situation in hand and is in a position to dictate terms to the revolutionists. His instructions on leaving for Hayti were to "restore peace and order," and the means to be employed to this end were left entirely to his discretion. The Navy and State departments have ap proved his course to date.

May Use Force on Rebels.

Although he did not say whether he would go so far as to use force to obtain the return of Bobo and Blot to Port-au-Prince, Navy Department offi- the Dardanelles campaign as the ofcials believe the rear admiral would ficial reports would indicate, according not hesitate to do so if it were neces-sary to carry out his plan of pacifica-Turkish Embassy at Washington

The Jason carries a large crew, and it is presumed a detachment of marines was also sent to assist the peace commission. The hospital ship Solace is on its way to Hayti, following the battleship Connecticut. The elaborate preparations indicate that a long campaign is ahead for the landing force. through Shah Mir, the vice-consul at New York.

The statement is issued, the vice-consul stated, to correct the erron-cous impression created by the Allies, and the distorting of the official Turkish dispatches by the British censor. It is

"The Haytian soldiers apparently re-tain their organization, although with-out arms. Daily inspections are made for arms, and whenever any are found they are taken and placed in charge of the United States forces.

"The prices of provisions have great-ly increased, and the poorer classes are without food and many are suffering greatly."

Fear of Rebels Halts

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LONG CAN **GERMANY** * LAST?

HOW

by Carl Snyder, author of New Conceptions in Science," "Das Weltbild der Modernen Naturwissenschaft," "American Railways as Investments" —in this week's issue of 🐞

ALLIES' TRIUMPHS MYTHS, SAY TURKS GERMANS AID BULGARIA

ment Given Out Here by Embassy.

MUSCOVITE INTRIGUE AND SOLDIERS "FAIL"

and Sea Called Fizzle—Says Censor Distorts Reports. The Allies are not as successful in

Turkish Embassy at Washington through Shah Mir, the vice-consul at

dispatches by the British censor. It is as follows: "In their statements with regard to the operations in the Dardanelles the drawn out affair." Allies are constantly giving out glowign narratives of victories and forward marches. If their pretentious claims were really true, they should have

actual facts are quite at variance. "On April 25 they landed in two places, Avi-Bournu and Seddul-Bahr. had cherished military yearnings, and The objective of the first landing corps was Maidos, at a distance of eight side of battle he had been interested

"Now, the Allies on the side of AviBournu never have been able to proceed
further than one kilometre from the
shore, and on the other side they are
being checked at a distance of three
and a half kilometres from Krithia.
Their failure at Seddul-Bahr is so much
the more striking because this place
being situated at the extremity of the
Galipolis Peninsula, is from three sides
exposed to the converging fire of the
Allied warships.

changed now. Mr. Corey is a man of
peace. Soon after the war started, he
and Mrs. Corey turned over their villa
as a home for convalescent soldiers.
Now they have learned something of
the futility and the horror of war.

"I am not in favor of peace at any
price," said Mr. Corey, "but I believe
in peace and am an advocate of peace.
There is a limit, of course, but, from

Selection of President

Fort-au-Prince, Aug. 2.—The violent revolutionary activities of last week have been followed by a political dead-lock in the efforts of the Haytian Congress to elect a president in succession to Guillaume, who was shot to death of Guillaume, who was shot to death

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"According to the 'Cologne Gazette,' a group of German bankers, headed by the Discourte Gesellschaft, has made a

a group of German bankers, headed by the Disconto Gesellschaft, has made a contract with the Bulgarian govern-ment to take about 250,000,000 francs (\$50,000,000) of the 5 per cent Bul-garian gold loan of 1914. "The Disconto Gesellschaft has been charged to redeem 120,000,000 francs (\$24,000,000) of Bulgarian treasury notes, due early in August, at 81.25 marks per 100 francs." Dardanelles Campaign by Land

WAR MAKES COREY A MAN OF PEACE

Declares Conflict Will Be Long, and Warns U. S. to Prepare.

into a conflict of mechanics and chemistry, and it is going to be a long pression of William Ellis Corey, ex-Corporation, who arrived here yesterday from his villa in France, by way reached Constantinople long ago. The of Bordeaux, on the French liner Espagne.

Mr. Corey said that in his youth he

kilometres, and that of the second, in the game of war. That is all Now, the Allies on the side of Avi- changed now. Mr. Corey is a man of

The ridiculous descriptions lavishly There is a limit, of course, but, from what I have seen of the war, I must

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